TECHNIQUE AND METHOD WHICH DYNAMICALLY GENERATES VARIOUS DEPTH LEVELS OF ABSTRACTS FOR TEXT BASED DATA SOURCES ON DEMAND

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5   The present invention discloses a method for dynamically generating an abstract from a search result abstract retrieved from a search engine. Preferably embodied as a software program, the present invention allows a user to "zoom" in and out of the abstract thereby retrieving greater or lesser details of the abstract to further determine whether the resource is useful or not. Groups of words within the search result abstract

10   are searched for indexable words or key words useful to the user. The indexable words are then displayed to the user. Advantageously, the process of the present invention is performed entirely on the user side without having to reset the abstract level at the server side with a new query.